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NEWS RELEASE

DWI DATA

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EL PASO, Texas – A review of 2017 DWI statistical data reveals the months of November and December with the highest number of arrests for DWI in the city of El Paso. Peak days and times for DWI's and tragically also the deadliest are Fridays and Saturdays between the hours of midnight to 3:00 a.m. As the holidays near, the police department is reminding the public, Do NOT Drink and Drive. Plan ahead and make arrangements so that a person who hasn't consumed any alcohol is driving. Every person whether hosting or partaking in the consumption of alcohol can prevent a DWI by not driving or not allowing someone who has been drinking to drive. The DWI TASK force will be out in force during these times with the goal of DWI cases and crash fatalities drastically reduced or eliminated not by enforcement alone but by prevention. Designate a sober driver, call a cab or use a ride share.

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